

SENATE RESOLUTION 157

By Gilmore

A RESOLUTION to commend Jeffatina Dortch for exemplary service as a legislative intern.

WHEREAS, each legislative session, this body is pleased to recognize certain persons who have committed themselves, through their adroit service, to the betterment of the legislative process; and

WHEREAS, Jeffatina Dortch is one such individual, who has distinguished herself in her role as a legislative intern for Senator Brenda Gilmore; Ms. Dortch's work has resulted in innumerable benefits for the legislators she assisted and the General Assembly as a whole; and

WHEREAS, a student at Middle Tennessee State University, where she is highly regarded by her peers, Jeffatina Dortch has achieved academic success while pursuing degrees in political science with a concentration in pre-law, psychology, and Spanish; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Dortch previously attended Nashville State Community College, where she received an associate degree in paralegal studies in 2019 and an associate degree in pre-law in 2019; and

WHEREAS, eager to familiarize herself with the characteristics and complexities of Tennessee State government and to further her studies, Jeffatina Dortch brought her many abilities and singular expertise to Capitol Hill for the 2022 session of the One Hundred Twelfth General Assembly; and

WHEREAS, throughout the 2022 legislative session, Ms. Dortch has surpassed all criteria that define a devoted and conscientious legislative intern; and

WHEREAS, Jeffatina Dortch has performed her many duties with extraordinary insight and rare decorum; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED TWELFTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we hereby commend Jeffatina Dortch for

outstanding service as a legislative intern for Senator Brenda Gilmore and extend to her our best wishes for every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.